

**United States District Court  
District of Massachusetts (Boston)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-10291-WGY**

American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts v. U.S.  
Department of Homeland Security et al  
Assigned to: Judge William G. Young  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 02/15/2019  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
02/15/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against All Defendants Filing fee: \$ 400, receipt number 0101-7542095 (Fee Status: Filing Fee paid), filed by American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit C, # <u>4</u>

		Exhibit D, # <u>5</u> Exhibit E, # <u>6</u> Exhibit F, # <u>7</u> Exhibit G, # <u>8</u> Exhibit H, # <u>9</u> Exhibit I, # <u>10</u> Exhibit J, # <u>11</u> Exhibit K, # <u>12</u> Exhibit L, # <u>13</u> Exhibit M, # <u>14</u> Exhibit N, # <u>15</u> Exhibit O, # <u>16</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>17</u> Civil Cover Sheet Category Form)(Kennedy, Alycia) (Entered: 02/15/2019)
02/15/2019	<u>2</u>	ELECTRONIC NOTICE of Case Assignment. Judge William G. Young assigned to case. If the trial Judge issues an Order of Reference of any matter in this case to a Magistrate Judge, the matter will be transmitted to Magistrate Judge Judith G. Dein. (Finn, Mary) (Entered: 02/15/2019)
02/15/2019	<u>3</u>	Summons Issued as to U.S. Customs and Border Protection, U.S. Department of Homeland Security. <b>Counsel receiving this notice electronically should download this summons, complete one for each defendant and serve it in accordance with Fed.R.Civ.P. 4 and LR 4.1. Summons will be mailed to plaintiff(s) not receiving notice electronically for completion of service.</b> (Halley, Taylor) (Entered: 02/15/2019)
02/15/2019	<u>4</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Daniel L. McFadden on behalf of American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts (McFadden, Daniel) (Entered: 02/15/2019)
02/19/2019	<u>5</u>	ELECTRONIC NOTICE of Hearing. Status Conference set for 2/27/2019 10:00 AM in Courtroom 18 before Judge William G. Young. <i>Due to the request of the plaintiff for expedition of this matter, counsel for the plaintiff shall notify counsel for the defendants of this hearing.</i> (Gaudet, Jennifer) (Entered: 02/19/2019)
02/19/2019	<u>6</u>	SUMMONS Returned Executed U.S. Customs and Border Protection served on 2/19/2019, answer due 3/12/2019; U.S. Department of Homeland Security served on 2/19/2019, answer due 3/12/2019. (Kennedy, Alycia) (Entered: 02/19/2019)
02/19/2019	<u>7</u>	AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE Executed by American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts. Acknowledgement filed by American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts. (Kennedy, Alycia) (Entered: 02/19/2019)
02/19/2019	<u>8</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Matthew Segal on behalf of American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts (Segal, Matthew) (Entered: 02/19/2019)
02/19/2019	<u>9</u>	SUMMONS Returned Executed as to US Attorney served on 2/19/2019, answer due 4/22/2019 by American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts. (Paine, Matthew) (Entered: 02/20/2019)
02/20/2019	<u>10</u>	Notice of correction to docket made by Court staff. Correction: Docket Entry <u>6</u> Summons Returned Executed as to the Office of US Attorney Corrected Because: Counsel Kennedy Filed The Summons Returned Executed Under The Wrong Event in CM/ECF. The Summons Was Re-Docketed As ECF No. <u>2</u> and the Answer Deadlines Corrected. (Paine, Matthew) (Entered: 02/20/2019)
02/25/2019	<u>11</u>	STATUS REPORT by American Civil Liberties Union of Massachusetts. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit C, # <u>4</u> Exhibit D)(McFadden, Daniel) (Entered: 02/25/2019)
02/26/2019	<u>12</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Peter Bryce on behalf of U.S. Customs and Border Protection, U.S. Department of Homeland Security (Bryce, Peter) (Entered: 02/26/2019)
02/27/2019	<u>13</u>	Electronic Clerk's Notes for proceedings held before Judge William G. Young: Status Conference held on 2/27/2019. The Court denies plaintiff's request for expedition and orders the case proceed in ordinary course. (Court Reporter: Richard Romanow at bulldog@richromanow.com.)(Attorneys present: Attorney McFadden and Kennedy for the plaintiffs and Attorneys Bryce and Sady for the government) (Gaudet, Jennifer) (Entered: 02/28/2019)
02/28/2019	<u>14</u>	Transcript of Status Conference held on February 27, 2019, before Judge William G. Young. The Transcript may be purchased through the Court Reporter, viewed at the public terminal, or viewed through PACER after it is released. Court Reporter Name and Contact Information: Richard Romanow at bulldog@richromanow.com Redaction Request due 3/21/2019. Redacted Transcript Deadline set for 4/1/2019. Release of Transcript Restriction set for 5/29/2019. (Scalfani, Deborah) (Entered: 02/28/2019)

02/28/2019	<u>15</u>	NOTICE is hereby given that an official transcript of a proceeding has been filed by the court reporter in the above-captioned matter. Counsel are referred to the Court's Transcript Redaction Policy, available on the court website at <a href="http://www.mad.uscourts.gov/attorneys/general-info.htm">http://www.mad.uscourts.gov/attorneys/general-info.htm</a> (Scalfani, Deborah) (Entered: 02/28/2019)
03/21/2019	<u>16</u>	ANSWER to <u>1</u> Complaint,, by U.S. Customs and Border Protection, U.S. Department of Homeland Security.(Bryce, Peter) (Entered: 03/21/2019)
03/27/2019	<u>17</u>	STATUS REPORT <i>Joint Status Report</i> by U.S. Customs and Border Protection, U.S. Department of Homeland Security. (Bryce, Peter) (Entered: 03/27/2019)
03/28/2019	<u>18</u>	NOTICE of Scheduling Conference. Scheduling Conference set for 5/6/2019 02:00 PM in Courtroom 18 before Judge William G. Young. (Gaudet, Jennifer) (Entered: 03/28/2019)